

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Edward L. Grivna

SERIAL NO.: 09/768,900

**RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL AND
EXTENSION OF TIME REQUEST
(IF REQUIRED)**TITLE: N-WAY SIMULTANEOUS FRAMER FOR BIT-INTERLEAVED TIME DIVISION
MULTIPLEXED (TDM) SERIAL BIT STREAMS

FILED: January 24, 2001

EXAMINER: Shew, J.

ART UNIT: 2664

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FEE CALCULATION FOR ENCLOSED AND EXTENSION REQUEST (IF ANY)

	Claims Remaining	Highest No. Previous	Extra Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	20 minus	20 =	0 x \$ 18.00	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	4 minus	3 =	1 x \$ 86.00	\$86.00
Multiple Dependent Claim First Added			+ \$290.00	\$ 0.00

TOTAL IF NOT SMALL ENTITY . \$86.00

[] SMALL ENTITY STATUS - If applicable, divide by 2 \$0.00
 [] Verified statement enclosed, if not previously filed.

[] Applicant also requests a ____ month extension of time
 for response to the outstanding Office Action. The fee is \$0.00

[] Fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17 (p) for Information Disclosure
 under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 (c) \$0.00

TOTAL FEE \$86.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any overpayment or underpayment of the above fee associated with this
 Communication to Deposit Account No. 50-0541. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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In Response To: Office Action mailed August 12, 2004

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 12, 2004

please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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